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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Ronald L. Spangler et al.

Serial No.: 10/036,925

Filing Date: December 21, 2001

Title: LASER SPECTRAL ENGINEERING
FOR LITHOGRAPHIC PROCESS

Examiner: Nguyen, Dung T.

Group Art Unit: 2828

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98, applicants submit for consideration in the above-identified application the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the cited documents are also submitted herewith. The Examiner is requested to make these documents of record.

The documents listed on the attached Form PCT-1449 were cited in a Search Report (copy attached) directed to a counterpart international or foreign application.

A Statement Under 37 CFR § 1.97(e)(1) is attached.

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Invention:

LASER SPECTRAL ENGINEERING FOR LITHOGRAPHY PROCESS

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a statement under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97(e) in the above-identified application.

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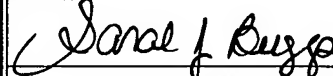

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